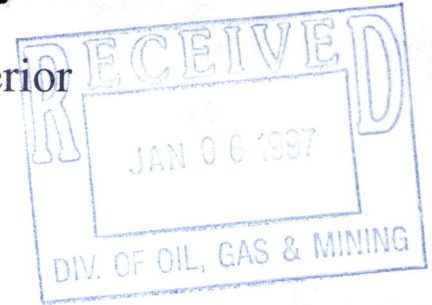




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Tony Gallegos
Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
1594 West North Temple, Suite 210
P.O. Box 145801
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

Dear Mr. Gallegos:

We have inspected the reclamation of the western part of Georgia-Pacific Corporation's gypsum mine where they parked their equipment and have found it to be adequately reclaimed. The site consists of 1.15 acres and although there is very little vegetation growing on it, there was very little vegetation in the area when Georgia-Pacific moved in. We propose to release Georgia-Pacific Corporation from any further obligation to conduct further reclamation work on this part of their operation and if we do not hear from you within 15 days from the date of this letter, we will assume you concur with our decision.

Georgia-Pacific Corporation has also requested that the western part of their mine be released. However, the reclamation on the western part of the mined area has not reached a point at which it can be considered to be reclaimed as there is very little vegetation on it, so we have no intention of releasing that area at this time. Total requested area for release was 4 acres, of which we have recommended release of only 1.15 acres.

Sincerely,

Area Manager

Enclosure
Georgia-Pacific Corp. Letter

cc: Bryant Anderson
Emery County Planning and Zoning
P.O. Box 417
Castle Dale, Utah 84513
Kiran Bhayani
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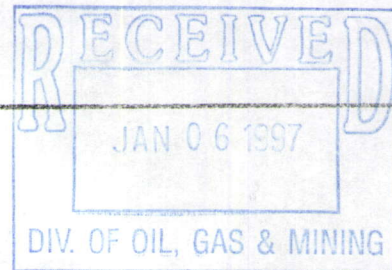
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December 16, 1996



Mr. Neil Simmons
Bureau of Land Management
Moab District, San Rafael Resource Area
125 South 600 West
Price, UT 84501

RE: Reclamation Activity
Georgia-Pacific Corp.
Emery County Gypsum Mine

Dear Mr. Simmons:

As you know, Georgia-Pacific (G-P) has been working toward reclamation of portions of the gypsum mining area located in Emery County. Attached to this letter is a marked-up copy of the brunton and measure survey that you conducted on May 19, 1995. The shaded area indicates the area for which reclamation activity is complete. The area is approximately 4 acres in size. G-P requests that this area no longer be considered towards the total 26 acres which is approved for disturbance and also no longer be considered subject to the current bonding for the site. Should you have any questions, or require additional information, I can be reached at 702-643-8100.

Sincerely,

Russell Harms

Attachment

cc: Mr. B. Shajary - NV010 Las Vegas
Mr. R. Hope - UT120 Sigurd

70' \times 100' area

25.5 Acres

Access Road 1" = 200'

